

What is claimed is:

1. A system comprising:

an automated teller machine (ATM) including (i) means for receiving an envelope from an ATM customer conducting an ATM transaction, and (ii) means for printing a transaction number on the envelope received from the ATM customer;

an image capture workstation for capturing a front image of the envelope and a rear image of the envelope; and

a keying and balancing workstation including (i) a display, and (ii) a processor including means for processing the front and rear images of the envelope to present a superimposed image of at least a portion of the front image and at least a portion of the rear image on the display.

2. A system according to claim 1, wherein the processor includes means for processing the superimposed image to present a rotated image of the superimposed image on the display such that the superimposed image and the rotated image of the superimposed image are presented adjacent to each other on the display.

3. A method of displaying front and rear images of an envelope which has been deposited at a self-service deposit terminal, the method comprising:

displaying the front and rear images of the deposited envelope such that at least a portion of the front image of the deposited envelope and at least a portion of the rear image of the deposited envelope superimpose.

4. A method comprising:

printing a transaction number on an envelope deposited at a self-service terminal;

capturing an image of one side of the deposited envelope;
capturing an image of an opposite side of the deposited envelope; and
superimposing the images of the deposited envelope on a display to allow an operator to read the transaction number from the images independent of which side the transaction number was printed on the envelope.

5. A method of a human operator keying in a transaction number associated with an envelope which has been deposited at an automated teller machine (ATM), the method comprising:

reading a transaction number from superimposed front and rear images of the deposited envelope on a display, wherein the transaction number appears in only one of the images; and

keying in the transaction number which appears in the one image.

6. An apparatus for enabling a human operator to read a transaction number from first and second images of an envelope which has been deposited at a self-service terminal, the apparatus comprising:

a display; and

means for displaying the first and second images on the display so that at least a portion of the first image and at least a portion of the second image superimpose.